

# PROCLAMATION

JUN 20 1973

BY THE

## Governor of the State of Texas

ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

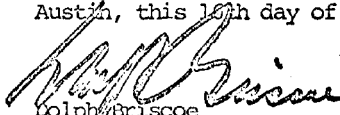
June 16, 1973

As provided under the provisions of Section 14, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, I disapprove of H. B. 1281 and am filing same with the Secretary of State setting forth the following objections:

The full faith and credit of the State of Texas is pledged to the payment of bonds issued under the constitutional amendment that provided for expansion of the parks of the state of Texas. It was intended that these bonds would be revenue bonds, and that the taxpayer of the state would not become obligated on the bonds. I have been advised by the Parks and Wildlife Department that the people who this act exempts from payment of admission fees constitute a large group of users of the parks, and the denial of revenue from this group would seriously impair the ability of the parks to pay their bonds and could result in the possibility of the general revenue fund of the state having to provide for the bond payments. This was not the intention of the parks bond program.

H. B. 1281 was received in the Governor's Office less than ten (10) days prior to the adjournment of the regular session of the Sixty-third Legislature, and in accordance with the Constitution of the State of Texas, this bill, together with this Proclamation, is filed with the Secretary of State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I  
have hereunto signed my name  
officially and caused the seal of  
the State to be affixed hereto at  
Austin, this 16th day of June, 1973.

  
Dolph Briscoe  
Governor of Texas

Secretary of State